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## VAMPI'S LETTERS 4

Readers of VAMPIRELLA were out to let us know in no uncertain terms their ecstasy or outrage over the "explosive book length novel" which comprised issue number 87. Where Napoleon Zivkovic found "an effortlessly effective masterpiece" Alan Harrison found a "well tossed salad" that was "less than the sum of its parts." Never have so many of our loyal readers been so delighted or so angry at the same thing at the same time!



## VAMPIRELLA / WIZARDS 5

Van Helsing's psychic powers see a hotel shimmering in the Nevada desert bathed in blood. Is it here that the Council of Wizards is to convene in the guise of a convention of magicians? Is it possible that Father Joseph could have risen from the dead wanting revenge and survived the destruction of "A Gathering of Demons?" Evil incarnate is about to raise the armies of the dead in that desert Babylon of America...Las Vegas!



## OVER THE EDGE 28

Their love began where others end...divorce court! It had been a wonderful honeymoon...two weeks at lover's leap! Yet, despite all this, something began to turn sour. She began to turn sour! She didn't taste right anymore. Gradually the house began to reek with an undefinable stench. She started to avoid daylight and she gave up all human contact. It was slowly but surely going to drive him over the edge of a steep cliff!



## SIGHT UNSEEN 41

The decade of the nineteen twenties was young and so was she. She had everything to live for...beauty, wealth, health and love! But is life worth living when you are suddenly deprived of your sight? Is life worth living when you are deprived of love? Is it worth it when you are hunted like a rat, stranded on an island beyond help? And all because of something you thought you heard! But when love is blind, hearing can't always be believing!

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# Vampi's Scarlet Letters

I couldn't have been more wrong when I suspected that **VAMPIRELLA #87** was an ordinary issue. This issue's virtues began with a cover by **Enrich** who rendered our heroine so superbly that she appeared almost photographic, instead of a work of art!

The contents page drawing, by **Jose Gonzalez**, caught my eye instantly. That illustration was the most perfect choice for a lush introduction to a lavish story.

The best thing of all in issue #87, however, was the feature story itself. "The Return of the Blood Red Queen" was an explosive book-length epic that re-acquainted us with ace author **Bill DuBay**, and served up a generous helping of art by master illustrator **Jose Gonzalez**. The story in itself made **VAMPIRELLA #87** an effortlessly effective masterpiece.

**NAPOLÉON ZIVKOVIC**  
Paterson, N.J.

What can I say about **VAMPIRELLA #87**? It had a reprint cover and reprinted contents.

I wasn't pleased when there was one issue per year devoted to reprinted material, but two issues or more each annum is totally unacceptable.

**T. M. MAPLE**  
Toronto, Canada

Upon picking up the "Collector's Edition" of **VAMPIRELLA**, issue #87, I was pleasantly surprised. Although I had previously read two of the spine tangle tales within this reprint issue, I didn't feel that seeing them again was a waste.

This was primarily due to **VAMPIRELLA** artist **Jose Gonzalez**. It is my opinion that **Gonzalez** and **Bill DuBay** are the greatest creative team since **Adam and Eve**!

For a while I was an avid **Vampi** fan. But with the disappearance of **Jose Gonzalez** from the pages of **VAMPIRELLA**, I lost interest. Now, **Gonzalez** is back, and so am I ... in full force!

My main objection to the artistic style of **Gonzalez** may be replaced **Gonzalez** on the **Vampi** series some time ago, is that it has managed to convey, if you will pardon the expression, a sluttish air to my favorite femme fatale's personality. **Gonzalez**, on the other hand, has always managed to portray **Vampi** with a certain air of innocence.

Again, it just serves to show that **Gonzalez** is the only artist for **VAMPIRELLA**!

**JOSEPH SOSNICKI**  
West Chester, Penn.

We hope you'll revise your opinion somewhat, Joe, when you've seen how super-artist **Rudy Nebres** renders our heroine in this issue!

I have some rhetorical questions about **VAMPIRELLA #87**.

Why was this issue's cover a reprint from **VAMPIRELLA #52**?

The contents page art by **Jose Gonzalez** was stunning, but a closer examination shows that it was originally illustrated in 1977. Why did you wait three years to print it?

Where did good old **Joe Brancatelli's** column disappear to?

"The Return of the Blood Red Queen" would have been more aptly entitled "The Return of the Return of the Blood Red Queen" Why did you reprint a story, however modified?

The entire issue is, in fact, a reprint! It seems you've just dropped the splash pages and titles from several **Vampi** tales and then strung them all together as an "explosive book-length novel!"

I'd like an explanation, please. And don't give me any of that "yearbook" crap! We all know that reprints usually appear in mid-summer, not early spring!

**V. AMPIRE**  
Washington, D.C.

Because of the incredible demand for the return of master artist **Jose Gonzalez** to these pages, **VAMPIRELLA #87** was an encore presentation of his now classic **Vampi** sagas!

When I picked up **VAMPIRELLA #87** I was attracted by the cover blurb which read: "An explosive book-length **VAMPIRELLA** novel." I thought, "Now I'm getting what I always wanted out of a **Warren** magazine ... a book-length illustrated story!"

Wrong again! What I found instead was a collection of previously printed stories tied together in the loosest way possible. The net result was that the book did not flow smoothly from episode to episode, and I was left with the disconcerting feeling that I was reading a well tossed salad.

This "explosive novel" was definitely less than the sum of its parts!

This, however, is not to say that I didn't enjoy the book. I did! As ever, the artistry of **Jose Gonzalez** was a visual feast! And **Bill DuBay's** stories are always exciting, even if editor **Will Richardson** did a horrendous job in tying them together.

And finally, **Gonzalez's** drawing of **VAMPIRELLA** on the introduction page was a visual delight! I'm glad **Warren Publishing** has elected to employ large illustrations such as this on the contents page. The excessive type used in previous issues has not been very appealing!

**ALAN HARRISON**  
Buffalo, N.Y.

When I first saw the cover of **VAMPIRELLA #89** I thought, "Hey, I've seen this cover somewhere before!"

Sure enough! And that wasn't the only thing that I had seen before! The entire book was familiar! It was the third **VAMPIRELLA** reprint issue in the last seven! One might think that **Warren Publishing** is on the skids, it's doing so much reprinting. Thank goodness for the contents page illustration by **Jose Gonzalez**. It, at least, gave me one new thing for my money.

I was pleased, however, to see that even though the stories had been published before, they were revised and modified for their second outing. Three pages were dropped, one splash panel was flipped and there was extensive redrawing throughout. And in a couple of instances I suspect that we were seeing the original art for the first time.

The real revelation, however, came in the last three pages of the issue. I was amazed at how much better the new dialogue fit the illustrations than the previous text did. These pages were more suitable as an epilogue to **Vampi's Drakulon** adventure than as a prologue to **VAMPIRELLA's** Hollywood tales, as used previously.

But best of all, it finally established the **Drakulon** ancestry of **Pantha**, something we all simply had to assume until now.

I can't close without commenting on the best thing that new **VAMPIRELLA** editor **Will Richardson** has done so far. Editorial commentator **Joe Brancatelli** is gone. At last! **Tral Tral Tral**! Not that **Brancatelli's** column didn't raise some good points occasionally, especially when he wrote about the business end of the comic book industry. But on everything else his opinion was as good as the next clown's. And no matter what the quality of his opinions, I wonder if there is a place for such personal editorializing in a purportedly entertainment magazine. I hope that in the future we'll see the space once occupied by **Brancatelli** put to better use!

**BRIAN CADEN**  
Cincinnati, Ohio

**Vampi's  
Scarlet Letters**  
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LAS VEGAS. IT IS A CITY DROWNED IN THE ENDLESS  
INCESSANT CHATTER OF THE ROULETTE WHEEL... THE  
STACCATO WHIR OF THE INFAMOUS ONE ARMED BANDIT  
AND THE LAUGHTER OF WINNERS AND LOSERS  
CLUSTERING AROUND THE GAMING TABLES LIKE  
RAVENOUS VULTURES WAITING FOR ONE GLORIOUS  
KILL!

YET, NOT *EVERYONE* IN LAS VEGAS COMES  
FOR THE GAMING. THERE ARE THOSE  
WHOSE MOTIVES ARE MORE OMINOUS!  
THOSE WHO A BEAUTIFUL BLOOD-LUSTING  
GIRL FROM THE STARS CAME TO MEET!  
A SMALL, SECRETIVE CLOISTER OF MEN  
WHOSE POWERS RIVAL SATAN HIMSELF!

# VAMPIRELLA



OH, ADAM... THIS  
IS IT, ISN'T IT? THIS  
IS WHERE THE COUNCIL  
OF WIZARDS HAS COME  
TO NAME THEIR  
LEADER...THE  
ANTI-POPE!

I PRAY WE'RE  
NOT TOO LATE TO STOP  
THEM! ONCE THE ANTI-  
POPE IS CROWNED, EVIL  
WILL RUN RAMPANT  
OVER THE ENTIRE  
EARTH!

WE STOPPED THEM  
ONCE, LOVE. \* WE CAN DO  
IT AGAIN! I ONLY WISH  
YOU AND DAD HADN'T TAKEN  
THAT LITTLE DETOUR ON  
THE WAY HERE! \*\* THERE'S  
NO TELLING HOW MUCH  
VALUABLE TIME WE'VE  
LOST!

## A Gathering of WIZARDS!

\*SEE "A GATHERING OF DEMONS"  
IN VAMPIRELLA #73!

\*\*SEE LAST ISSUE'S "NIGHT  
OF THE HELL DREAM!"









...STABS AT ITS HEART... PINNING  
THE DEMON-THING TO THE WALL,  
CRUCIFYING IT... AND THE STENCH  
OF BLACK-BLOOD AND DOZING,  
PUTRID-SOAP.

K-CHUK!

AIEEEE!

SLOWLY... EVER SO SLOWLY  
BEFORE THE HORRIFIED  
DISBELIEVING EYES OF THE  
ONLOOKERS, THE CREATURE'S  
FORM BEGINS TO CHANGE...  
AS LIFE EBBS FROM ITS  
BODY! UNTIL IT DIES, RE-  
VEALING ITS TRUE FORM, A  
WINGED HERALD OF SATAN!

OH, VAMPIRELLA...  
WHAT WAS IT? IT...  
IT--?

VAMPI!  
LOOK  
OUT!

HOWLING, MOVING BEFORE SHE  
CAN EVEN COMPREHEND THE  
SITUATION...

...VAMPIRELLA BLOCKS  
CONRAD'S DEATH  
THRUST WITH HER  
DRAKULON ARMBAND...

K-CHING!

...WHILE COUNTER-  
ING WITH A HARD-  
STRUCK BLOW OF  
HER OWN!

THOK!

THE CREATURE IN  
THE GUISSE OF CON-  
RAD VAN HELSING  
REELS BACKWARDS,  
DISPENSING WITH  
HIS FALSE IMAGE...  
REVEALING HIS TRUE  
FORM AS A BROTHER  
TO THE SLAIN  
DEMON!

HAHAHA!  
THIS IS THE HOUR  
OF YOUR DEMISE,  
VAMPIRELLA!

**SUDDENLY** A BOOMING VOICE RAGING WITH AUTHORITY, SLICES THROUGH THE THICK, TENSION-LADEN AIR!

**BEGONE, HELL-SPAWN! GO BACK TO YOUR STYGIAN ABYSS!**

**BACK, I SAY!**

**N-NO!**

**SSSSSS!**

**AIEEEEE!**

**BLINDED, SEARING WITH PAIN, THE CREATURE STAGGERS NUMBLY... THEN FALLS THROUGH A WALL OF GLASS...**

**...TO A GRUESOME, TWISTED DEATH, SOME SEVEN STORIES BELOW!**



BUT AS THE THREE-SOME  
BURSTS INTO THE HUGE  
CONVENTION HALL, THEY  
SPRING YET A THIRD AND  
FINAL DEATHTRAP!

NOW, MY  
BROTHERS! DESTROY  
THE HATED ONES!

THE DRACULONNE TWINS AND THE  
BLIND PSYCHIC CRUMBLE UNDER  
THE WEIGHT OF AN UNSEEN  
SPELL! THEY WAITING, UN-  
CONSCIOUS IN TORTURED  
AGONY, VICTIMS OF THE  
ROGUE PRIEST-WIZARD,  
FATHER JOSEPH!

WELL DONE! NOW  
CHAIN THEM WITH THE  
OTHER CAPTIVES!

AND SOON, A  
DARK, TIMELESS  
MAZE WAITS  
THROUGH THE  
MIND OF THE  
AWAKENING  
VAMPIRELLA!

AN  
VAMPIRESS...  
YOUR  
STAMINA IS  
REMARKABLE!

F-FATHER JOSEPH...  
YOU! BUT NOW? YOU  
DIED AT THE LAST  
GATHERING! \*

\*SEE VAMPIRELLA #75!

OH! I HADN'T REALIZED!  
I WAS UNDER THE IMPRESSION  
THAT I WAS ONE OF THE FEW  
WHO SURVIVED!

IT REQUIRES FAR MORE THAN YOUR WERE MEDDLING TO STOP THE COUNCIL OF WIZARDS, MY DEAR.

YET, YOU ARE A **NUBANCE** THAT MUST BE **SQUASHED!** HOWEVER... SHOULD YOU **BOW DOWN** BEFORE THE MASTER SATAN, YOUR DEMISE WILL BE MUCH MORE **MERCIFUL!**

YOU AND YOUR DEMENTED MASTER CAN GO TO HELL, PRIEST!

YOU MAKE IT SOUND LIKE **CORSE**, VAMPIRELLA... WHEN TO BE IN **HELL** AT MY MASTER'S SIDE, IS **PRECISELY** MY SOLE ASPIRATION!

BUT THEN, YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS WILL **PRECED** ME THERE...AS YOU ARE EACH **SACRIFICED** TO THE **SATANIC** MASTER HIMSELF!

**FIRST**, HOWEVER, LET ME TELL YOU **WHY**, VAMPIRELLA, THE COUNCIL AND I, IN PARTICULAR, WILL **REVEL** AT YOUR DEMISE!

\*DO YOU REMEMBER THAT NIGHT WE FIRST **CLASHED**? YOU AND YOUR MALE COMPANION DISRUPTED OUR CONCLAVE BEFORE WE COULD CHOOSE THE **RULER** OF ALL EVIL ON EARTH... THE **ANTI-POPE**! \*

\*THE COUNCIL HAD THE **RAW POWER** TO DEAL WITH YOUR **SURPRISE ATTACK**... AND EVENTUALLY WOULD HAVE **STOPPED** YOU... IF NOT FOR THE ACCURSED MEDDLING OF THE ONE CALLED... **PENDRAGON!** \*

\*SEE VAMPIRELLA # 7.5.



"NOT ONLY DID THE MAGICIAN *DISRUPT* OUR CONCLAVE, CAUSING OUR DEMONIC SERVANTS TO *RUN AMOK*... BUT OUR VERY CATHEDRAL WAS BROUGHT CRASHING DOWN UPON US! MY FELLOW COUNCIL MEMBERS WERE CRUSHED UNDER HUNDREDS OF TONS OF DEBRIS! WHILE YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS *ESCAPED UNHARMED!*"

"TWO MASSIVE STONE BLOCKS FELL ON EITHER SIDE OF ME... FORMING A CRUDE *PROTECTIVE ARCH*! HOURS LATER, I *CLAWED* MY WAY OUT OF THE RUBBLE... ONE OF THE TWO MEMBERS OF THE *CHOSEN CIRCLE* TO SURVIVE! THE OTHER WAS MY RIVAL *TEN JEN!*"



"I *WATCHED* FROM THE SHADOW OF SMOKING RUINS AS MY DEMONIC HOST *CRYSSIE COLLINS*, WAS PLACED IN AN AMBULANCE!"

"SINCE SHE WAS THE ONLY DEMON-HOST TO *LIVE* THROUGH THE TRAIL OF COMBAT, I KNEW *LUICFER* HAD DESIGNATED *ME* AS HIS CHOSEN DISCIPLE UPON THIS PLANET...THE NEW *ANTI-POPE* OF EVIL!"





SHORTLY THEREAFTER, **TEN ICHI**, WHOM WE HAD ALL THOUGHT KILLED BY YOUR HAND AT THAT ABORTED GATHERING, APPEARED BEFORE THE NEW COUNCIL, ASSERTING THAT HE SHOULD BE THE RIGHTFUL LEADER!



"APPARENTLY HE HAD CREATED A **DOPPELGÄNGER**... AN EXACT **DUPLICATE**... TO ATTEND THE CONCLAVE WHILE **TEN ICHI** HIMSELF REMAINED SAFELY OUT OF **ARM'S** WAY!"



"I COULD NOT ABIDE SUCH **TRICKERY**... NOR IGNORE THE THREAT OF **TEN ICHI'S** CLAIM TO MY TITLE! SO I RECRUITED THE NEW COUNCIL, MEMBERS FROM COVENS SPANNING THE ENTIRE GLOBE! THEY OWED ALLEGIANCE TO **ME!**"

"TRULY, THE MASTER OF ILLUSION WAS SUM-  
ABLY **BANKRUPT**  
FROM OUR RANKS!"



"HOWEVER, EVEN WITH THE RENEGADE WIZARD **DISPOSED** OF, I COULD NOT REST WHILE YOU AND YOUR ASSOCIATES **WOAGLED FREE!** I PLOTTED TO **DESTROY** YOU WITHOUT SO MUCH AS LIFTING A FINGER!"

"I DECIDED TO LET **TEN ICHI** DO THE DEED FOR ME!"



"THE COLLECTIVE MIND OF THE COUNCIL TELEPATHICALLY **IMPLANTED** THE IDEA IN THE ORIENTAL CONCERN'S MIND... THAT YOU, **WARRIOWELL**, MUST **DIE!**"

"THE ILLUSION MASTER BELIEVED HE WAS BAITING A **TRAP** FOR YOU... WHEN ACTUALLY HE WAS CREATING A **DIVERSION** FOR US!"



"WITH YOURSELF, **ADAM** **WAS** **VELSING** AND THE SHE-BEAST **PANTHA**, THUS PITTED AGAINST **TEN ICHI**..."

"...THE WATED **PENDRAGON** WAS EASILY CAPTURED!"



"A SEDUCTIVE SUCCEBUS WAS CONJURED FOR THE OCCASION."



"A FEW DRINKS..."



"...AND HE FELL PREY TO AN UNEXPECTED AMBUSH."



"IT WAS PENDRAGON WHO HAD INFLICTED THE MOST DAMAGE TO OUR NEW YORK CONCLAVE! THEREFORE IT IS ONLY FITTING THAT HIS LIFE SHOULD BE OFFERED AS SACRIFICE TO ALMIGHTY SATAN UPON MY CROWNING TONIGHT!"



"NEVERTHELESS YOU MANDUCATED TEN ICH MORE RAPIDLY THAN WE HAD THOUGHT POSSIBLE... AND WHETHER BY DESIGN OR SHEER STUPIDITY HE TOLD YOU OF MY CROWNING HERE IN L/IS VEGAS!"



THE COUNCIL KNEW FULL WELL TO EXPECT YOUR ARRIVAL, VAMPIRELLA...AND WAS TOTALLY PREPARED TO MEET YOUR CHALLENGE...

...AND NOW WE HAVE A GRAND TALLY OF FIVE SOULS TO BEQUEATH THE UNWOLY MASTER... WHERE BEFORE WE HAD JUST ONE!





AS HE SPEAKS, THE ROGUE PRIEST GESTURES SWEEPINGLY, AND WITH A POWERFUL MYSTIC SPELL, FORCES VAMPIRELLA'S COMPANION'S BACK TO CONSCIOUSNESS!



HE THEN SWINGS TO ADDRESS THE ASSEMBLED MULTITUDE OF ACOLYTES, DEMONS AND WIZARDS!

LET THE CONCLAVE BEGIN!



THE FALLEN FLOCK, LED BY FATHER JOSEPH, INTONES A SUMMONS TO SATAN... A DIRGE-LIKE LITANY THAT MAKES VAMPIRELLA'S BLOOD RUN COLD AS ICE!

THE UNGOOLY CHANT OPENS A SULFURIC PORTAL REEKING OF BRIMSTONE AND HUMAN DECAY... IT IS A DEEP PIT WHICH LEADS TO THE UNHOLY NEATHERWORLD!



THEN...SUDDENLY, STANDING IN THE MIDST OF THE RED GLOWING SHAFT, LOOMING OVER ALL, IS THE HORNED LORD OF HELL!



BRING ME MY CROWN!

AS SATAN IS MY WITNESS, I DECLARE MYSELF THE ANTI-PODE OF ALL HUMANKIND!

THERE COMES A LOW, GROWLING RUMBLE AS OF DISTANT THUNDER, AND A HOLLOW LAUGH, TINGED WITH THE THIN EDGE OF MADNESS, ROCKS THE VERY CONVENTION HALL!



NO! IN THE  
UNHOLY MASTER'S  
DREADED NAME...  
NO!

WHAT...? WHO  
HAS THE TOWERTY TO  
INTERRUPT THE  
SATANIC SERVICE?!



A WIZARD WHIRLS OFF HIS DISGUISE  
AS HE LEAPS FROM THE ROW OF  
ACOLYTES.

WHO ELSE BUT  
I... THE MASTER  
OF ILLUSION!

TEN  
ICHI!



SEIZE THE  
ROGUE WARLOCK!  
WE WILL SACRIFICE  
HIM AS WELL!



HEPT  
INFERIORS!  
TOUCH ME AT THE  
PEARL OF YOUR  
WORTHLESS  
LIVES!

AIEEE!

GAGHHH!



I HAVE COME  
TO CLAIM WHAT IS  
RIGHTFULLY MINE...  
THE TITLE OF  
ANTI-POPE!



YOU'RE FORGETTING  
ONE THING, RENEGADE! BOTH  
I AND MY DEMON-HOST SUR-  
VIVED THE CONCLAVE! THE  
CROWN BELONGS TO ME!

INCOR-  
RECT! THE  
PRESENCE OF  
THE VAMPIRESS  
CONTAMINATED  
THE CEREMONY!  
THE CONCLAVE  
WAS NEVER  
TRULY COM-  
PLETED!

IT'S A SIMPLE MATTER, HOWEVER, WHICH WILL BE RECTIFIED WITH A TEST OF **STRENGTH**... A MAGICAL **DUEL** TO THE DEATH... WITH THE **DAMNED ONE** HIMSELF AS **WITNESS**.

**DIE, PRIEST!**

**DIE!**

WITH A MYSTICAL GESTURE, THE RENEGADE PRIEST CREATES A DIAMOND-SHAPED **SHIELD** TO **REPEL** THE ETHERIC LIGHTNING!

**THAAAK!**

**BEELZEBUB AND BELIAL! YOU'RE MAD!**

BUT IF IT'S A **FIGHT** YOU WANT YOU'LL SOON LEARN THAT YOU HAVE CHALLENGED YOUR **MASTER!**

SPELL AND WHITHERING COUNTER-SPELL ARE **BLASTED** ACROSS THE STAGE IN FRONT OF FIVE HELPLESS ON-LOOKERS

OR PERHAPS THEIR SEEMING HELPLESSNESS IS IN APPEARANCE ONLY.

A PSYCHIC IMAGE OF **CONRAD** IS MANIFESTING ITSELF IN MY **MIND'S EYE**.

THE OLD PROFESSOR IS TRYING TO **TELEPATHICALLY** TELL ME SOMETHING.







...AND THEN, JUST AS SUDDENLY, THE PAIN IS GONE, AND THE HUNTRESS FROM THE STARS IS CAPTIVE NO LONGER!



...BARELY-LIVING SNELL THAT SHE THROWS ASIDE WITH INVIGORATED STRENGTH... STRAIGHT INTO THE BOWELS OF THE HELL-PIE!

SIMULTANEOUSLY, HUNDREDS OF MILES AWAY, THE CRAZED FATHER'S EASTWILE DEMON-HOST, CRYSSIE COLLINGS, FEELS A VEIL OF MADNESS LIFTED FROM HER MIND!





NOW  
IT'S YOUR  
TURN SO-  
CALLED  
MASTER OF  
ILLUSION!

I HAVE  
ALREADY  
TASTED THE  
STING OF DEATH  
AT YOUR FANGS,  
VAMPIRESS! I  
SHAN'T ALLOW  
MYSELF THE  
EXPERIENCE A  
SECOND TIME!  
FAREWELL...  
FOR NOW!

HE'S GONE! HE JUST  
DISAPPEARED IN A PUFF  
OF SMOKE!



THE TOWERING, HORNED FIGURE  
BELLOWS A ROAR OF DISPLEAS-  
URE... AND WRITHES IN AGONY  
AS THE SATANIC RITUAL IS  
SHATTERED!



HIS DEMONIC FORM WITHERS...  
AND SLITHERS BACK TO THE  
HELL FROM WHICH HE SPANG!



AND THEN... WITHOUT WARNING  
VAMPIRESS! HURLS HEAD-LONG  
INTO THE STARTLED RANKS OF  
THE DEMONIC ACOLYTES...

...KICKING,  
HITTING,  
TEARING  
HUMAN  
AND  
PSEUDO  
HUMAN  
FLESH!



HER RAZOR-KEEN WILD  
RIP AT EYES, TEAR OPEN  
WARM JUGULARS...

...AND HER FANGS  
SLASH AND  
DRINK DEEP!



LIKE THE SKILLED  
HUNTRESS SHE IS,  
**VAMPIRELLA**  
MOVES SWIFTLY...  
**DEFTLY...** INTO  
THE CROWDED  
THROG!

**SPELLS** ARE CAST  
WHICH MISS THEIR  
RED-FLASHING  
MARK... AND W.R.  
LOCKS FALL FROM  
THE BLISTERING  
**CROSSFIRE!**



A WAVE OF PURE **PANIC** GRIPS  
THE MAGICIANS... AND SOME, LIKE  
**TEN ICHI**, TELEPORT TO  
**SAFETY!**



YET, **OTHERS** DECIDE TO **STAY...**  
TO **DIE...** AND TO ATTAIN ETERNAL  
**DESTRUCTION** AT THE HANDS OF A  
GIRL FROM BEYOND THE STARS!

THE REMAINING  
MEMBERS OF THE  
COUNCIL, WITH AL-  
MOST **HALF** THEIR  
NUMBERS **DECI-**  
**MATED**, DO NOT  
POSSESS THE COL-  
LECTIVE **STRENGTH**  
TO MAINTAIN THE  
SPELL THAT CREATED  
AND SUPPORTS THE  
**NEATHERWELL!**



AND THE HELL-SHAFT, LIKE A  
BLACK-HOLE, **COLLAPSES**  
UPON ITSELF... **SUCKING** AT  
EVERYTHING WITH VORTEX  
VELOCITY; AS THE DIMEN-  
SIONAL DOORWAY **SEALS**  
**ITSELF!**

DEMONS AND WIZARDS **SCREAM**  
WITH **TERROR** AS THEY ARE  
**PULLED** INTO THE BOTTOMLESS  
MAW OF THE BRIMSTONE ABYSS...



...AS IS ALSO **VAMPIRELLA!**



HAVE TO HOLD  
ONTO THE PIT'S RIM...!  
CAN'T LET GO! I  
CAN'T!







# epilogue

VAMPIRELLA IS STUNNED BY ADAM'S UNEXPECTED PROPOSAL, SO MUCH SO THAT SHE STILL HAS NOT RESPONDED. HOURS LATER WHEN THEY ARE IN THEIR CROWDED HOTEL ROOM...

LOOK, BABY, ISN'T IT ABOUT TIME WE SETTLED DOWN... LIVED A LIFE OF OUR OWN?

I LOVE YOU, ADAM. BUT MY HEART BELONGS TO TRISTAN EVEN MORE!

I... I CAN'T MARRY YOU! DON'T YOU SEE...?

I'M FLYING BACK TO NEW YORK TONIGHT! IF YOU'RE NOT ON THAT PLANE WITH ME, LOVER, IT'S ALL OVER FOR US!

ADAM... I... I CAN'T!

OH, ADAM... A COMMITMENT TO YOU... NOW WOULD MEAN MORE TO ME THAN ANYTHING! BUT... BUT I JUST CAN'T!

AFTER ALL THIS TIME... AFTER ALL THESE YEARS... I... I JUST CAN'T FORGET MY LOVE... MY HUSBAND ON DRAKULON... TRISTAN!

CAN'T...OR WON'T? TRISTAN'S DEAD, VAMPIRELLA, AND I REFUSE TO SPEND MY LIFE FIGHTING HIS MEMORY!

IF YOU CAN'T FORGET HIM AND MARRY ME... THEN I SAY LET'S CALL IT QUITS HERE AND NOW!

ADAM, IF IT'S OKAY... I'D LIKE TO GO WITH YOU.

PANTHA! ARE YOU SERIOUS...?!



WE'RE THE WORLD'S MOST UNLIKELY TWSOME. BUT IF YOU AND VAMPS CAN'T WORK IT OUT... I... I'D LIKE TO TRY--!

P-PANTH...  
I... I--!

DON'T SAY A WORD, ADAM. JUST BE ON THAT PLANE WITH ME!



VAMPS... YOU'RE LIKE A SISTER TO ME! I HOPE YOU'RE NOT ANGRY!

OH, PANTHA OF COURSE NOT! WE'LL STILL SEE EACH OTHER, I'M SURE!



YOU TAKE GOOD CARE OF ADAM... UNDERSTAND? AND DON'T DO ANYTHING FOOLISH...



...LIKE LOSING HIM... THE WAY I DID!



WELL, CHILD... TO ALL OUTWARD AND UNTOWARD APPEARANCES IT WOULD SEEM WE'VE BEEN REDUCED TO A MERE DUO ONCE AGAIN!

BETTER MAKE THAT A TRIO, PENDRAGON!



WITH THE COUNCIL SHATTERED, ALL OF OUR LIVES MAY BE IN MORE DANGER THAN EVER FROM THE SURVIVORS! I'VE A FEELING WE'RE ALL GOING TO BE NEEDING ONE ANOTHER!

WHY, CONRAD... IF I DIDN'T KNOW ANY BETTER, I'D SAY THAT THAT WAS YOUR STUFFY OLD WAY OF SAYING YOU LIKE ME!

end

# OVER THE EDGE!

THERE IT IS, KIDS! **LOVER'S LEAP!** A LIVING POSTCARD IF EVER THERE WAS ONE!

YESSIR, I BROUGHT JANET HERE THE NIGHT I PROPOSED TO HER!

THAT DOESN'T SAY MUCH FOR THE PLACE!

ROBERT!

LOVER'S LEAP

SORRY, LOVE, JUST LIKE A WOMAN... NEVER LETS A MAN SPEAK HIS MIND.

BUT YOU'RE RIGHT, ROBERT. HERE YOU TWO ARE ABOUT DUE TO CELEBRATE YOUR FIRST WEDDING ANNIVERSARY, AND I'M DUE IN DIVORCE COURT TOMORROW MORNING.

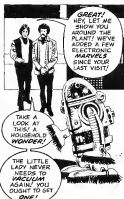
MAYBE I SHOULDN'T HAVE RECOMMENDED THIS SPOT AFTER ALL.

POOR GLEN! IS THIS PAINFUL FOR YOU, DEAR?

PAINFUL AS HELL! AT LEAST I'VE GOT MY LOVE-SICK BROTHER AND HIS SCATTER-BRAINED WIFE TO BEAR IT WITH. SO LIFE GOES ON! HERE'S A GOOD SPOT, BOB!















EARLY THE NEXT MORNING, THE BROTHERS  
RENTED A JET-STREAM HOVER PLANE...  
AND WERE SOON HEADED TOWARDS A  
MOUNTAIN RETREAT,  
NOT FAR FROM  
**LOVER'S LEAP!**











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# SIGHT UNSEEN

WO'N'T BE LONG NOW, MISSY JANE. AH KIN SEE THE TOPS O' THE MANGO TREES ALREADY. YOU BE BACK HOME YO' YOU KNOWS IT.

OH, JOSEPH! IS THE ISLAND AS BEAUTIFUL AS IT USED TO BE?

IT AIN'T CHANGED **NONE**, MISSY JANE. **NOTWIN'** REALLY CHANGES MUCH IN THIS OL' WORLD.

**PEOPLE DO**, JOSEPH. THE LAST TIME I WAS ON THAT ISLAND I WAS **EIGHT** YEARS OLD. I WAS YOUNG AND CAREFREE AND... I HAD EYES!

YOU **STILL** GOT YO' EYES, **MISSY JANE**. AND DEYS **PURTY** AS DE DAY YOU WAS **BONE!**

SWEET JOSEPH.

BUT DOES **PARKER** FEEL THE SAME? DOES... DOES HE **STILL LOVE** ME?

YOU HAVE TO BE A **FOOL** NOT TO SEE HOW MUCH **MISTAH** WINGATE LOVES YOU, **MIZ JANE**... AN' A **BIG-GER** FOOL NOT TO SEE HOW MUCH Y'ALL LOVES **NIM**.

NOW LOOKY HEAH WHAT HE GIVE ME TO **GIVE** YOU!



IT...  
IT'S A  
BROOD.  
JOSEPH!  
OH! IT  
FEELS  
LOVELY!  
WHAT  
COLOR  
IS IT?

IT'S ALL SILVER,  
MIZ JANE... AS BRIGHT  
AN' UNTARNISHED AS  
MISTAH WINGATE'S LOVE  
FOR YOU, AN' THAT  
SURELY IS A  
SPECIAL KIND  
OF LOVE!



HONESTLY, JAMIE, QUIT  
STARING! HE'LL THINK YOU'RE  
A BRAZEN HUSSY! I'LL INTRO-  
DUCE YOU IF YOU LIKE.

YOU KNOW HIM?  
OH, JULIE, WOULD YOU?  
HE'S ABSOLUTELY  
SMASHING!



JANE  
GOODSTONE,  
I'D LIKE YOU  
TO MEET AN  
OLD FRIEND...  
PARKER  
WINGATE.

MY PLEASURE,  
MISS GOODSTONE.  
PERHAPS I CAN  
PERSUADE YOU TO  
SUFFER THROUGH A  
FEW VOLLEYS  
WITH ME.

I'D BE  
DELIGHTED  
MISTER  
WINGATE.



YOU SURE  
YOU DON'T WANT  
ME TO HELP YOU  
TO THE BIG  
HOUSE, MIZ  
JANE?

PARKER WANTS  
ME TO LEARN TO  
DO THINGS FOR  
MYSELF! I'D  
BETTER START  
NOW.



I ONLY HOPE  
HE ISN'T ANGRY  
BECAUSE WE'RE  
THREE HOURS  
EARLY.

YOU JUST MAKE  
SURE YOU'RE BACK  
HERE MONDAY MORN-  
ING, JOSEPH, TO FETCH  
MR. PARKER WINGATE  
AND HIS NEW BRIDE.



EASY, RANGER,  
TAKE ME AROUND  
BACK. WE'LL  
SURPRISE  
PARKER!



AND HOW  
DO I  
KNOW YOU  
LOVE  
ME, MR.  
PARKER  
WINGATE  
III, AND  
NOT THE  
SMALL  
FORTUNE  
MY  
DADDY  
LEFT ME?



IS THIS  
THE KISS OF A  
MAN WHO'S  
INTERESTED IN  
YOUR MONEY?



STAY, BOY!  
PARKER'S TALKING TO  
SOMEONE UPSTAIRS!  
WOULDN'T HE BE  
SURPRISED  
TO SEE  
ME?



PARKER'S IN THE  
BEDROOM? WHO CAN  
HE BE TALKING TO IN  
THERE?



BUT  
WILL IT  
WORK,  
DARLING?

IT'S  
FOOL-PROOF! I'VE  
SET THE WHOLE  
THING UP TO LOOK  
LIKE ROBBERY AND  
MURDER!

WE'LL SIMPLY  
TELL THE POLICE I  
WAS DETAINED A FEW DAYS  
AND WHEN I ARRIVED  
ON THE ISLAND I FOUND  
HER MURDERED!



OH  
PARKER,  
DARLING!  
I'VE WAITED  
SO LONG! I  
WANT IT OVER  
WITH! I CAN'T  
STAND THE  
WAITING...  
THE  
KILLING!



JULIE, MY  
LOVE, AFTER-  
WARDS WE'LL BE  
TOGETHER  
FOREVER...LIVING  
IN COMFORT...  
WITH HER  
MONEY!

OH, MY  
GOD! MY  
GOD!

JULIE...  
AND  
PARKER...!  
THEY...  
THEY'RE  
GOING TO  
KILL  
ME!



M-MY BEST  
FRIEND AND MY  
HUSBAND...! I...I  
CAN'T BELIEVE  
IT!

RANGER...?  
RANGER? WHERE  
ARE YOU BOY?  
PLEASE!



OH, GOD!  
WHERE DID  
HE GO? HE'D  
NEVER LEAVE  
MY SIDE  
UNLESS...  
UNLESS...



...PARKER!  
HE'D NEVER  
KILL ME HIMSELF  
HE COULDN'T!

OH, GOD IN  
HEAVEN!  
THEY'RE HERE,  
NOW... AND  
THEY'VE GOT  
RANGER!  
SOB!



MISTAH  
WINGATE SAY  
WHEN WE WUZ  
'SPOSE TO KNOCK  
ON HIS OL'  
LADY?

SOONS  
SHE GITS  
HERE HE  
SAID!



G-GOT TO  
GET OUT OF THE  
HOUSE!  
HIDE!



AH SHORE  
DON'T LIKE THIS  
JOB MUCH! KILLIN'  
AIN'T MAH USUAL  
LINE O' WORK!

MONEY'S  
MONEY!



DEAR GOD!  
THEY'LL  
START  
SEARCHING  
AS SOON AS  
THEY SPOT  
THE YACHT  
HEADING  
BACK FOR  
THE MAIN-  
LAND!



THEY'LL  
KNOW I'M  
HERE COME  
LOOKING  
FOR ME!



OH, PARKER!  
SOB! HOW COULD  
YOU... SOB! YOU  
LOVED ME! YOU  
SAID YOU LOVED  
ME!



OH, PARKER!  
AN ENGAGE-  
MENT RING?  
IT... IT'S  
LOVELY!

DARLING,  
YOU'VE  
MADE ME  
THE  
HAPPIEST  
MAN IN THE  
WORLD!



WE'LL HAVE  
THE **BIGGEST**  
WEDDINGS,  
AND--!

PARKER!  
THE ROAD!  
WATCH THE--!  
NOOOOO!



B-BLIND...  
NOT... NOT  
PERMANENTLY,  
DR. SUMMERS!

OH, GOD!  
JANE! WHAT  
HAVE I DONE  
TO YOU?



I'LL MAKE IT  
UP TO YOU, DARLING.  
I... I'LL BE YOUR EYES!  
I'LL NEVER LEAVE  
YOUR SIDE! OH  
GOD! SOB!



OH, GOD,  
PARKER... WHAT...  
WHAT EVER  
HAPPENED TO  
CHANGE YOU  
SO...?



IF I JUST  
SIT HERE  
THEY'LL EVENT-  
UALLY THINK TO  
LOOK UNDER THE  
HOUSE! BUT WHAT  
CAN I DO?

JOSEPH WON'T  
BE BACK FOR  
TWO DAYS! HOW  
CAN I AVOID  
THEM UNTIL  
THEN? WAIT!  
FOOTSTEPS  
JUST ABOVE  
ME!



I WANT YOU TO  
CHECK EVERYWHERE!  
WE FOUND HER DOG,  
SO WE KNOW  
SHE'S HERE!



HEAVEN HELP  
ME! WHAT CAN I  
DO?











NO, WAIT! I... I CAN GET MONEY! MY OLD SERVANT JOSEPH, WILL HELP ME!

HEH-HEH! YOU OLD SERVANT JOSEPH AM ONE OF US, MIZ!



P-PLEASE DON'T PULL SO FAST! L-LET ME HOLD ONTO YOU! I CAN WALK BETTER THAT WAY, JUST TELL ME WHERE WE ARE!

WE HEADIN' FO' THE FRONT DOOR.



JUST LET ME HOLD YOUR SHOULDER...YES! W-WHERE ARE WE NOW?

RIGHT BESIDE THE CELLAR DOOR, MUSSY.



NOW!



YAGHHH!

WHUMP!  
THUMP!  
TH-AAA!



Y-YOU WITCH! WHITE WITCH...! AH'LL KILL YOU MYSELF! I'LL STRANGLE YOU!



WH-WHERE IS IT? THE GUN!

YOU GONNA DIE, WOMAN!





BA-WOOOM!



THE GIRL RAN... STUMBLING, TEARING HER CLOTHING...  
HER SKIN... STAGGERING BLINDLY WITHIN THE BLACK  
VOID THAT WAS HER VERY EXISTENCE! AND THEN SHE  
REMEMBERED IT! THE SAME PLACE, THE ONE PLACE  
THEY WOULD NEVER FIND HER

THEY... THEY  
WON'T THINK TO  
LOOK HERE! NOT  
HERE! IT'S THE ONE  
PLACE IN THE WORLD  
WHERE NO ONE  
CAN TOUCH ME!



IT'S ALL  
YOURS, MIZ JANE!  
YOUR VERY OWN  
TREE HOUSE!



OH, JOSEPH... I  
COULD HIDE FROM  
THE WORLD UP HERE!  
NO ONE WOULD THINK  
TO LOOK WAY UP HERE,  
SO FAR FROM THE  
HOUSE!



PROMISE YOU  
WON'T TELL, JOSEPH!  
SWEAR IT!

AH SWEARS,  
ON MAN LIFE AS A  
CHRISTIAN, AH WON'T  
NEVER REVEAL THE  
WHEREABOUTS A'THIS  
HERE SECRET  
TREE HOUSE!



AND IF AH EVAN TELLS, MAY THE LORD STRIKE ME BLIND! HA HA HA!



JOSEPH, SWEET JOSEPH... I HAVE YOU BETRAYED ME, TOO OLD FRIEND! HAVE YOU TOLD THEM WHERE I'M HIDING?



OH, GOD! WHY DON'T I JUST ADMIT IT... THERE'S NO ESCAPING! I'M ONLY PRO-LONGING THE INEVITABLE!

I SHOULD JUST LET THEM FIND ME AND GET IT OVER WITH!



KRUNCH KRAA

THAT... THAT SOUND... THEY'RE OUT THERE!



WE BEEN OVAH DAMN NEAR HALF THIS ISLAND! WHERE THE DEVIL SHE HID?

ON THE HALF WE AIN'T COVERED YET!



AH AIN'T SEE THREE FEET AHEAD A'WE! THIS NEAR BORN'S TH' LAST THING WE NEEDS 'NIGHT!



THE NIGHT! I FORGOT! I CAN'T SEE THEM, BUT THEY CAN'T SEE ME EITHER IN THE DARKNESS!

MAYBE... IF I COULD GET TO THE DOCK... I COULD STEAL THEIR BOAT!





M-MY ARM...!  
F-FEELS LIKE I'VE  
SPRAINED IT!

AND  
GOD! THIS  
MUD...!  
THICK AS...  
AS--!



THE MUD! IT'S  
BLACK! LIKE THE  
NIGHT! I CAN RUB  
IT ON MY FACE AND  
HANDS! THEY'LL  
NEVER BE ABLE  
TO SEE ME!



NOW IF THE  
LIGHTNING DOESN'T  
EXPOSE ME...AND IF I  
CAN FIND THE MANSION  
AGAIN--!



HERE'S THE  
PICKET FENCE  
SURROUNDING THE  
BACK GARDEN.  
THE HOUSE  
SHOULD BE DEAD  
AHEAD!



I DON'T HEAR  
ANYONE. I...I'VE  
GOT TO CHANCE  
IT!

IT'S  
LOCKED!  
AND THERE  
ARE NO  
BASEMENT  
WINDOWS!



OH, WHAT'S THE  
USE! IT WAS A STUPID  
IDEA! I...I CAN'T GET  
AWAY FROM THEM! SOB!  
I CAN'T! I CAN'T!



I...I  
CAN'T DO IT,  
PARKER!

QUIT SAYING THAT,  
DAMN IT! ARE YOU  
GOING TO LET YOURSELF  
BE A USELESS HANDY-  
CAP ALL YOUR LIFE?













THEY...THEY'RE  
HERE ALREADY!



OH GOD! OH  
LORD! I... I'M  
GOING TO MAKE  
IT!



I GOT  
YOU NOW,  
MISSY!



N-HOOD!  
NOO! IT...  
IT'S NOT  
FAIR!

IT'S  
OKAY,  
MIZ!

AHM FUM THE  
DANCIN' MANN!  
WE COME TO HEP  
YOU!



OH!

RIGHT  
THIS  
WAY,  
MIZ,  
THE CAPTN  
AM  
ANXIOUS  
TO SEE  
YOU!



HELLO,  
DARLING.

PARKER!

I... I  
DON'T  
UNDER-  
STAND...!  
YOU...!!



I CAN EX-  
PLAIN, DARLING.  
I KNOW YOU'VE  
BEEN THROUGH  
A TERRIBLE  
ORdeal... IT'S  
BEEN TERRI-  
FIC...TER-  
RIFYING FOR YOU!

BUT YOU'RE  
ALIVE!  
YOU'VE  
SURVIVED  
IT! YOU'VE  
SURVIVED  
THE WORST  
PERILS OF  
YOUR  
LIFE!



YOU... YOU  
WEREN'T TRYING  
TO KILL ME?

NO, DARLING,  
I WAS TESTING  
YOU! I WAS  
LETTING YOU TEST  
YOURSELF... YOUR  
STRENGTHS... YOUR  
ABILITY TO  
FUNCTION AS  
A BLIND  
PERSON!



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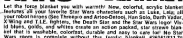
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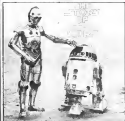


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very sensitive. It's known people. We don't know if they're human. They exist in the Empire like Jedi. I never saw one and not registered as any important command. I've got a stick, and it's 3' high, with movable arm, legs and neck. It has a detachable arm. \$24,999/220.

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## R2D2 & C3PO WATCH



STAR WARS WATCH: R2D2 & C3PO stand on the face of this cool stainless steel watch. From Tinseltown to the streets of space, this dynamic duo, these metal marvels these robot friends battle their way across the galaxy! What time is it now? 2 o'clock! Up to 1 hour and 55 minutes! And what will you be up to with them on your wrist? Check out color face, easy to read numbers & adjustable band. Not another cheap watch! #000004/\$9.95

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